REMARKS

Claims 3-5, and 7-12 are pending. By this amendment, claims 5 and 9 have been amended to correct inadvertent errors. The amendment of claim 5 corrects a grammatical error. The amendment of claim 9 corrects an antecedent basis error with support being provided, for example, in claim 4. No new matter has been introduced. An extension of time is not seen to be needed for this Supplemental Amendment because the Amendment filed on August 28, 2009 was fully responsive to the May 28, 2009 Office Action. However, if it is deemed necessary, an extension of time fee may be charged to deposit account No. 19-0089 (P35790). It is respectfully requested that the present Supplemental Amendment be entered after entry of the August 28, 2009 Amendment. The present Supplemental Amendment corrects minor informalities and advances prosecution and applicants submit that it should be entered.

Errors in Declaration

As noted in the August 28, 2009 Amendment, the Declaration contains an incorrect Japanese priority application number and filing date, and incorrect title, but the Official Filing Receipt contains the correct data. To remedy the errors in the Declaration, an Application Data Sheet (ADS) was filed with the August 28, 2009 Amendment. However, a new Declaration has been executed by Applicants and is being filed concurrently herewith to supplement the originally filed Declaration so as to include corrected foreign priority information and a corrected title. A corrective Claim for Priority is also being filed concurrently herewith.

If the Examiner has any questions, or wishes to discuss this matter, please call the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

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It is not believed that any fees are due with this amendment. However, any additional fees should be charged to, or any overpayment in fees should be credited to, Deposit Account No. 19-0089 (P35790).

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